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IN THE DRAWINGS:

Figures 1-4, insert --Prior Art--;

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Column 4, line 15, insert --polisher-- after "surface of the";

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1, Column 4, line 58, delete "potion" and replace with --portion--; and
Claim 7, Column 6, line 8, delete "Then" and replace with --The--.

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